



Irma E. Donovan

December 2, 1921 - September 30, 2015

Irma E. Donovan, 93, of Kankakee passed away on Wednesday, September 30, 2015 at Miller Healthcare in Kankakee. She was born on December 2, 1921 in Bonfield to Wilbur and Laura (Heeler) Yeates. She married Joseph G. Donovan on December 28, 1938 in Irwin. He preceded her in death on March 23, 2004.

Irma retired from Pepsi and was a member of St. Joseph Church in Bradley. She enjoyed playing Bingo and visiting with her family.

She is survived by one son and daughter-in-law Joseph and Mary Donovan of The Villages, FL; one brother Neval and Norma Yeates of Naperville; three grandchildren Christopher and Lori Donovan of Elburn, Kathleen and Jeffrey Downey of Bourbonnais and Kelly and Robert Buente of Honolulu, HI; and four great-grandchildren Andrew and Samantha Downey and Timothy and Shane Buente. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, a daughter Sister Mary Jo Donovan, OSB, a sister Elsie Pendell and a brother Wilbur Yeates.

Visitation will be held on Monday, October 5, 2015 at St. James Church in Irwin from 10am until the 11am funeral mass. Burial will follow at St. James Cemetery in Irwin. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley.

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Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. James the Apostle Catholic Church
Irwin Road
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 933-5443

Funeral Mass

OCT 5. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ My name is Liz Taylor I use to wait on Irma when I worked at miller I just want to say I really Loved Irma she made me smile just as much as I made her smile she had so much spunk for her age she told me she like these little figure things from Christmas so I got her a few just the light in her eyes made my day I will never forget her and I want to say how sorry lam she is gone but she will always be in my heart my condolences to the family she talked about you all so much she loves her family I just wanted to let you know again lam sorry for your loss

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